

## Message Text

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ACTION PC-15

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FM AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6338

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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y TO ADD DECONTROL INSTRUCTIONS

FOR: OSS

E.O. 11652: N/A

SUBJ: DEATH PCV LINDA ROBINSON

1. BODY ARRIVED NIAMEY FROM TAHOUA NOON SEPTEMBER  
12 ACCOMPANIED BY PCVS GWEN CARTER AND VERONICA WALKER.  
CARTER AND WALKER REPORTED TO APCD MILLER AND STATE DEPT PHYSICIAN  
CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH PCV ROBINSON AS FOLLOWS:

AFTER LEAVING NIAMEY MORNING 10 SEPTEMBER, TRAVELLED TAHOUA  
OVERLAND ARRIVING AFTER NIGHTFALL. SCHOOL HOUSING NOT BEING  
READY, STAYED IN TOWN AT PC HOUSE PRESENTLY UNOCCUPIED. DURING  
NIGHT, AFTER RAINSTORM, ROBINSON BEGAN COUGHING, CALLED  
CARTER & WALKER FOR HELP. DESPITE USE RESPIRATOR, CONVULSIONS  
BEGAN, GRADUALLY GROWING MORE ACUTE. PCV WALKER WENT IN SEARCH  
VEHICLE IN ORDER TRANSPORT ROBINSON HOSPITAL. PCV CARTER  
REMAINED WITH ROBINSON. WHEN WALKER ARRIVED WITH VEHICLE ROBINSON  
TAKEN TO LOCAL HOSPITAL WHERE REPORTED DOA. DEATH CERTIFICATE SIGNED  
BY  
DR. SCHAEFFER, TAHOUA. HOSPITAL, LISTS ASTHMA ATTACK AS CAUSE  
OF DEATH AT 01:20 A.M. SEPT 11.

2. BODY TEMPORARILY AT SECURE BUILDING NIAMEY AWAITING COMPLETION  
FORMALITIES NECESSARY TO EFFECT SHIPMENT.

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3. WILL CABLE FLIGHT INFORMATION WHEN CONFIRMED.

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